Forecast For Orkney & Shetland
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Headline:
Windy with outbreaks of rain but drier spells over Shetland.

Today:
A misty and murky day over Orkney with outbreaks of rain or drizzle. Becoming drier across Shetland with a little brightness but some rain arriving late afternoon. Strong westerly winds, easing across Shetland in the afternoon. Maximum temperature 12 deg C (54 deg F).

Tonight:
Cloudy with outbreaks of rain or drizzle but becoming mainly dry late in the night. Southwesterly winds will strengthen, reaching gale force later. Minimum temperature 9 deg C (48 deg F).

Friday:
West or southwesterly gales will ease during the morning. Mainly dry with bright intervals but cloud and rain may spread into Orkney in the afternoon. Maximum temperature 11 deg C (52 deg F).

Outlook for Saturday to Monday:
Rain then showers on Saturday and turning colder with hail and sleet later. Bright spells and wintry showers Sunday with brisk northerly winds. Milder on Monday with a few showers.

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